Abstract

A system for providing limited access to parts of texts of documents, comprising a database of documents and constraints for each document, and software to search the documents, to extract pieces of texts out of them, and to limit the amount of text that is being extracted according to the constraints. The software includes a *searcher* component, which searches the documents and identifies potential matching documents, and *extractor/filter* component, which extract text from the potential matching documents, and limits the extracted text according to the constraints.